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Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: July 14, 1957
Began Service: April 12, 2004
Term Expires: April 12, 2012

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Rotary International; Virgin Islands Bar Association

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Number of Judgeships: 1

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Bernard Markovitz
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Westminster (PA) 1962 BA; Duquesne 1965 LLB

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge (recalled), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (1966-1969); Assistant Solicitor, School District of Pittsburgh (1969-1972)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1965-1985)

Military Service: United States Navy (1984)

Current Memberships: Allegheny County Bar Association; American Judges Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Pennsylvania Bar Association

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Judith K. Fitzgerald
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Pittsburgh 1970 BS, 1970 BA, 1973 JD

Affiliation: Director, Board of Directors, American Bankruptcy Institute; Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania

Academic: Adjunct Professor, University of Pittsburgh School of Law (2003-2005)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable John N. Sawyer, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, Beaver County (1973-1974); Law Clerk The Honorable Gwilym A. Price, Jr., Superior Court of Pennsylvania (1974-1976)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Pennsylvania, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1976-1987)

Judicial: Judge (by Special Designation), United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (1991-1996); Judge (by Special Designation), United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (1994-2002); Judge (by Special Designation), United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware

Current Memberships: Allegheny County Bar Association; American Association for Justice; American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Commercial Law League of America; Federal Bar Association; International Bar Association; International Women's Insolvency & Restructuring Confederation; National Association of Chapter 13 Trustees; National Conference of Bankruptcy Clerks; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Womens Bar Association of Western Pennsylvania

United States Courts of Limited Jurisdiction

United States Court of Federal Claims

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Number of Judgeships: 16

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Edward J. Damich
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Catholic U 1976 JD; Columbia 1983 LLM, 1991 JSD
Began Service: October 22, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
Term Expires: October 21, 2013

Academic: Professor, Delaware Law School of Widener University (1976-1984); Professor, George Mason University School of Law (1984-1992); Professor, George Mason University School of Law (1994-1995)

Corporate: Mortgage Accountant, Associated Mortgage Companies (1972)

Government: Commissioner, Copyright Royalty Tribunal, George H.W. Bush Administration (1992-1993); Chief Intellectual Property Counsel, Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate (1995-1998)

Nonprofit: Research Director, Heritage Foundation (1975-1976)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; The District of Columbia Bar; Federal Circuit Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association; Washington Area Lawyers for the Arts

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Christine Odell Cook Miller
Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Stanford 1966 BA; Utah 1969 JD
Began Service: January 24, 1983
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Term Expires: February 4, 2013
Political Affiliation: Republican



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable David T. Lewis, United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit

Corporate: Special Counsel, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

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